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EXTRA PRACTICE 1

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Vocabulary

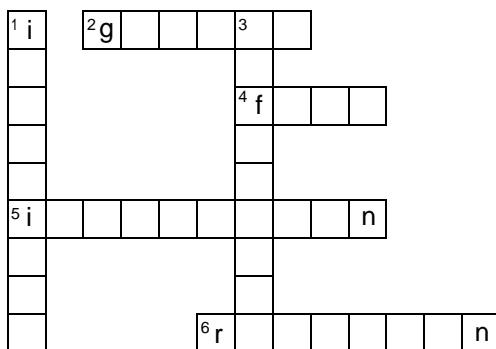
1 Complete the puzzle. Use the clues below.

Across ➡

2. a small useful tool
4. not successful
5. a new thing or idea
6. can be used again

Down ↓

1. very clever
3. works well



2 Tick (✓) the pairs of opposites.

- 1. weird – ordinary
- 2. easy-to-use – revolutionary
- 3. simple – complicated
- 4. entertaining – interesting
- 5. useful – useless

3 Complete the text with the words below.

caught on ♦ weird ♦ entertaining ♦ came up with ♦ trendy ♦ requires

The Pet Rock was invented in 1975 by Gary Dahl. He ¹ the idea while talking to friends about pets. He bought some rocks, put each one in a nest in a small box, and included instructions for taking care of the rock. The instructions were very funny and ² – because a rock, of course, ³ no care! As ⁴ as it seems, the Pet Rock quickly ⁵ and became really ⁶ Everyone wanted one!

Grammar

4 Complete the sentences about what you had and hadn't done with your mobile phone by the time you went to bed last night.

1. I (update) my apps.
2. I (turn off) the WiFi to save the battery.
3. I (charge) the phone.
4. I (put) the phone on the table and not near the bed.
5. I (silence) the ringer.

5 Complete the questions with the words in brackets. Then use the fact file below to answer the questions. Use the Past Perfect Simple.

1. Susan (graduate) from university before she got married?
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2. What Susan (do) by the time she created her first invention?
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3. How many inventions Susan (sell) by the time she became a millionaire?
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4. Susan (get married) before she sold her first invention?
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5. How many children Susan (have) by the time she sold her second invention?
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Susan Hill

1991 graduated from university
 1993 created her first invention
 1995 sold her invention
 1997 got married
 2000 had a child
 2002 sold her second invention
 2005 became a millionaire